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SUMMARY OF ITEMS OF SIGNIFICANT INTEREST

PERIOD 120701 - 130700 NOVEMBER 1962

1. CARIBBEAN

a. JCS REQUESTED CINCLANT, CINCSAC AND CINCNORAD TO SUBMIT BY 121700Z NOVEMBER A BRIEF STATEMENT OF IMPACT OF CONTINUATION OF CURRENT ALERT POSTURE IN TERMS OF:

- (1) DEGRADATION OF READINESS
- (2) HARDSHIP ON PERSONNEL

JCS 122031Z (TS)

b. CG, FMFLANT STREP AS OF 122400Z REPORTED THE 5TH MEB DEPLOYED FOR TRAINING AS TWO UNITS:

c. (1) UNIT ALPHA (STRENGTH 5,400) CONDUCTING TRAINING/UPKEEP VIEQUES 13-22 NOVEMBER.

(2) UNIT BRAVO (STRENGTH 5,000) TO CONDUCT TRAINING/UPKEEP VIEQUES 23 NOVEMBER-2 DECEMBER.

d. NAVY FLAG PLOT REPORTS 5TH MEB UNIT ALPHA ETA VIEQUES AREA 130500R.

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(EAC NOTE: THE 5TH MEB UNIT NOT DEPLOYED FOR TRAINING WILL  
REMAIN WITHIN 24 HOURS SAILING TIME GUA ITANAMO).

CG FMFLANT 130125Z (S)  
NAVY FLAG PLOT TELECON 130100R (I)

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c. CINCLANT HAS REQUESTED JCS APPROVAL TO CONDUCT JOINT AFLANT/ARLANT EXERCISES TO REHEARSE DEPLOYMENT AND SIMULATED EMPLOYMENT PHASES OF CINCLANT OPLAN 316. FIRST EXERCISE TO BEGIN 19 NOVEMBER FOR ABOUT 5 DAYS, WITH ADDITIONAL EXERCISES TO FOLLOW ON A WEEKLY BASIS.

THESE EXERCISES WILL USE RESERVE AND MATS AIRCRAFT TO AIRLIFT PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT ALONG ACTUAL 316 DEPLOYMENT ROUTES TO STAGING BASES. AIRCRAFT WILL THEN FLY SIMULATED 316 EMPLOYMENT ROUTES TO VICINITY OF FT BRAGG AND FT CAMPBELL FOR AIR DROP OF ONE BATTLE GROUP.

CINCLANT 121402Z (S)

d. CG, FMFLANT RECOMMENDED TO CINCLANTFLT THAT THE CLASS V(A) 1ST RESUPPLY REQUIREMENTS FOR 5TH MEB IN SUPPORT OF THE 2 PACOM VMA SQUADRONS BE FILLED, EARMARKED AND MADE AVAILABLE FOR EMERGENCY SHIPMENT.

THESE STOCKS TO BE RETAINED IN THEIR PRESENT LOCATION SINCE 100 PER CENT FILL AND REPOSITIONING WOULD DEGRADE PACFLT CAPABILITY TO SUPPORT OTHER CONTINGENCIES REQUIRING VMA PARTICIPATION.

CG FMFLANT 122312Z (S)

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3. VMA-121 WITH 20 AAC (A4D-2N) AIRCRAFT WILL DEPART MCAS, EL TORO 13 NOVEMBER. ETA CECIL FIELD 140130Z.

CG, FMFLANT SITREP AS OF 122400Z REPORTS THAT VMA-1 WILL CHOP TO AFLANT AND ASSUME ALERT AT NAS, CECIL FIELD, FLORIDA 152200Z.

CG, FMFLANT FURTHER REPORTS THAT MAG-31 WILL ESTABLISH A DETACHMENT OF 6 F-8B (F8U-2N) AIRCRAFT AT KEY WEST 15 NOVEMBER AS RELIEF FOR VF-32 DETACHMENT.

MARATKRON 121 122300Z (C)  
CG FMFLANT 130125Z (S)

2. ASIA

a. JCS INFORMED CINCPAC THAT CHIEF OF STAFF, U. S. ARMY HAS INITIATED ACTION TO PROCURE ARMAMENT KITS FOR INSTALLATION ON HU-1B HELICOPTERS. TWENTY HELICOPTERS ARE BEING FITTED FOR IMMEDIATE SHIPMENT TO SOUTH VIETNAM. ADDITIONAL ARMAMENT KITS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO COMUSMACV EARLY 1963.

JCS 122058Z (S)

3. DEFCONS

a. NO CHANGE.

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CURRENT MARINE CORPS DEPLOYMENTS

LANDING GROUP WEST (TG 129.1)

1401 WIESEMAN	CC 2D MarDiv aboard AF MCKINLEY - MAYPORT	
DET COMPTNS	ADC 2D MarDiv aboard FRANCIS MARION - CHARLEST	
BLT 2/5	Aboard PHIBRON 6	50 MI SE CAMELLE NC
BLT 3/6	Aboard PHIBRON 8	50 MI E MAYPORT
BLT 2/8	Aboard PHIBRON 3	MAYPORT
BLT 3/8	Aboard PHIBRON 10	MAYPORT
BLT 3/2	Aboard PHIBRON 12	CHARLESTON
BLT 1/6	Aboard CINCPAC-A (LPH-3)	MAYPORT

LANDING GROUP WEST AVIATION (TG 129.3)

VMEN COURSEY      HVC 2D MAW aboard AF MCKINLEY - MAYPORT

PROV MAG 22

HMM-264	Aboard CINCPAC-A (LPH-3)	MAYPORT
HMM-461	Aboard CINCPAC-A (LPH-3)	MAYPORT
Det VMC-1	Aboard CINCPAC-A (LPH-3)	MAYPORT
HMM-261	Aboard TELLS DAY (LPH-6)	MAYPORT
HMM-263	Aboard FOXER (LPH-4)	MAYPORT
MAG-14	KEY WEST (Presently under CPCON CINCAFLANT and 831st AIR DIVISION)	

VMA-242  
VMA-333  
VMA-324  
VMFA(AW)-122  
Det VMCI-2

Det VMCJ-2      CECIL FIELD, JACKSONVILLE - CPCON COMNAVAIRLANT

3D LARL BN (-)      MCAS CHERRY POINT

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BGEN COLLINS

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LEEWARD SIDE

BLT 2/2

Hq MAG-32

Det VMA-331

Det H&MS-26

Det VMF-333

WINDWARD SIDE

BLT 2/1

"C" Btry 3d LAAM Bn

BLT 1/3

VMA-225 Aboard USS ENTERPRISE 65 miles NW JAMAICA

ROOSEVELT ROADS, P. R.

Det HQ MAG-32

VMA-331 (-)

VMF-333 (-)

5TH MEB (TG 129.2) Abcarrd PHIBGRU-3 - Unit ALPHA, Vieques Area 13-22

BGEN FAIRBOURN

November. Unit BRAVO posit 24  
hours sailing time Guantanamo

BLT 1/1

BLT 3/7

BLT 3/1

VMF-331 Aboard IWC JIMA (LPH-2)

BLT 1/7

Det VMO-6 Aboard IWC JIMA (LPH-2)

VMA-121 Reported for OPCON 2D MAW 102305Z Nov. Will deploy to  
Cecil Field, Jacksonville 14 Nov. Chop to AFLANT 15 Nov.

VMA-223 Chopped in place on West Coast to CINCLANTFLT and  
CG FMFLANT for possible move to LANTCOM

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LTCOL GRAHAM

BLT 1/2

Aboard PHIBRON-4 in MEDITERRANEAN

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